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## Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims**:

1. (Currently Amended): A communication terminal device having an error correction function defined in ITU-T Recommendations T.30, comprising:

a modem that can transmit data to a remote device in accordance with a plurality of modulation methods and communication speeds; and

a controller for changing a current modulation method of the modem to a difference different modulation method while maintaining a communication speed when an all-frame-error is detected predetermined number of times during data transmission, and for maintaining the current modulation method and reducing [[a]] the communication speed when a frame error other than the all-frame-error is detected a second predetermined number of times.

- 2. (Original): The communication terminal device as in claim 1 further including a memory for storing a plurality of modem capability levels, each level being defined by a modulation method and a communication speed, and wherein the controller changes a current modem capability level to an inferior one when changing the current modulation method to a different one.
- 3. (Original): The communication terminal device as in claim 1 further including a memory for storing a plurality of modem capability levels, each level being defined by a modulation method and a communication speed, and wherein the controller degrades the modulation method and changes a current modem capability level to an inferior one when the frame error other than the all-frame-error is

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